Intimations.

Regular MEETING of the above

LODGE will be held in the FREE-

MASONS' HALL, Zetland Street, THIS

EVENING, the 27th Instant, at 8 for 8.30 p.m. precisely. VISITING BESTIESEN

THE DAIRY FARM COMPANY,

LIMITED.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

THE second ordinary Yearly MEETING

Company's Office, No , Stanley Street,

Victoria, Hongkong, on SATURDAY, the

p m., for the purpose of receiving a State-

ment of Accounts, the Report of the Di-

and retiring Directors.

both days inclusive.

By Order,

rectors, and for the election of Auditors

The Transfer ROOKS of the Company

E. W. MAITLAND,

Secretary.

will be CLOSED from 16th to 20th Inst

Hongkong, December 12, 1888.

Hongkong, December 20, 1888

DAKIN BROS. OF CHINA,

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11HE Transfer BOOKS of this Company

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Share Lists will close at 4 p.m. on

the 28th of December 1888.

Dated the 11th day of December 1888.

INVESTMENT COMPANY.

LIMITED.

Incorporated under Companies' Ordinances

1:65 to 1886 of Hongkong, whereby the

Liability of Members is Limited to

the amount of their shares.

CAPITAL 1,000,000 TAELS.

OF 50 TAELS EACH.

DIVIDED INTO 20,000 SHARES

Directors:

WALTER CYRIL WARD, Esq., or

ALEXANDER GEORGE WOOD, Esq.,

of Mesers. Gibb, Livingston & Co.

Banker .:

THE HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI

Legal Adviser:

PROSPECTUS may be obtained and

Articles of 'ssociation seen at the Hong-

KONG AND SHANGHAI BANK or at Mesers

GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co., Agenta.

Hongkong, December 20, 1888.

BANKING CORPORATION.

Messes, GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co.

Messrs. MAITLAND & Co.

Messre. IVESON & Co.

H. S. WILKINSON, Esq.

Hongkong, December 18, 1888.

will be CLOSED from the 19th

F. W. CROSS.

Manager.

Hongkong, December 1, 1888.

fussion, and to the European and

Chinese Community of Hongkong,

NOTICE.

of SHAREHOLDERS will be hold at the

Hongkong, December 27, 1888

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NOVELTIES

IN ALL

DEPARTMENTS.

Shipping.

Steamers.

COEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

FOR SHANGHAI VIA AMOY.

CHWANG, TIENTSIN, HANKOW and

SATURDAY, the 29th Instant.

For Freight or Passage, apply to

Hongkong, December 22, 1888.

NAVIGAZIONE GENERALE

ITALIANA

(PLORIO & RUBATTINO UNITED COMPANIES.)

STEAM FOR

SINGAPORE, PENANG, BOMBAY

ADEN, SUEZ, PORT SAID,

Ports on or about the 29th Instant.

Hougkong, December 19, 1888.

SAKI AND KOBE.

(Passing through the INLAND SEA.)

places on SUNDAY, 6th January, 1889, at

To Let.

TO LET.

Hongkong, December 12 1848.

PANY, being No. 8, Praya Central.

Hongkong, November 15, 1888.

DOOMS in 'COLLEGE CHAMBERS,'

Hongkong, December 12, 1888.

TULES MUMM &

Dubos Frères & de Gernon & Con's

Baxter's Celebrated 'Barley Bree'

Hangkoog, July 18, 1881.

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OFFICES in 'VICTORIA BUILDINGS

For Sale.

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or to

from 1st February.

Apply to

Hongkong, December 22, 1888.

E. L. WOODIN.

Superintendent.

H. N. MODY,

Victoria Buildings.

and BAGDAD.

n Prince's Docks.

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MESSINA, NAPLES, (LEGHORN),

The Co.'s Steamship

CARLOWITZ & Co.,

Agents.

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Agents.

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Business Notices.

CO-OPERATIVE COMPANY,

LIMITED.

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IN ALL

DEPARTMENTS.

Hongkong, December 24, 1888.

Shipping.

Steamers.

FOR SHANGHAL

above Port on FRIDAY, the 28th Instant,

FOR MARSEILLES.

shortly due hero from Japan, will be despatched

for the above Port on or about the 28th

For Freight or Passage, apply to

Tongkong, December 21, 1888.

NORDDEUTSCHER LLOYD.

NOTICE.

SYSAM TO YOKOHAMA, KOBE AND

NAGASAKI.

(Passing through the INLAND SEA.)

Capt. W. von Senock-

above Posts on or about the 28th Instant.

NORDDEUTSCHER LLOYD.

NOTICE

For further Particulars, apply to

Hangkong, December 22, 1888.

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The Steamship

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N. A. SIEBS, Esq. J. F. HOLLIDAY, Esq. E. A. SOLOMON, Had Hon. B. LAYTON.

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LOCAL HILLS DISCOUNTED. Uralits granted on approved Securities, and every description of Banking and Exchange business transacted. Drafts granted on London, and the The DRUGS used in preparing prescrip-

chief Commercial places in Europe, India, Australia. America, China and Japan. T. JACKSON,

Uhint Manager. Hangkong, September 4, 1888.

NOTICE. DULES OF THE HONGKONG

SAVINGS' BANK. 1 .- The business of the above Bank will be conducted by the Hongkong and

Shanghai Banking Corporation, on their premises in Hongkong. Business hours on week-days, 10 to 3; Saturdays, 10 2.—Sums less than \$1. or more than \$250

at one time will not be received. depositor may deposit more than \$2,500 in any one year. 3. - Depositors in the Savings' Bank having

\$100 or more at their credit may at their option transfer the same to the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation on tixed deposit for 12 months; at 5 per cent. per annum interest. _Interest at the rate of 31 per cent. per annum will be allowed to depositors on

their daily balances. 5. - Each Depositor will be supplied gratis with a Pass-Book which must be presented with each payment or withdrawal. Depositors must not make any entries themselves in their Pass-Books but should send them to be written up at least twice a year, about the beginning of January and begin-

ning of July. 6. - Correspondence as to the business of the Bank if marked On Houghong Savings' Band: Business is forwarded free by the various British Post Offices in

Hongkong and China. 7 .- Withdrawals may be made on demand, but the personal attendance of the depositor or his duly appointed agent, and the production of his Pass-Book

are necessary. For the HONGKONG & SHANGBAY BANKING CORPORATION,

T. JACKSON, Chief Manager.

Hongkong, September 1, 188'.

Intimations.

THE KOWLOON HOTEL.

part payment of purchase-money, 6,000 Shares have been subscribed for and will be CITUATED on GARDEN LOT, No. 55, allotted, 5,000 Shares are reserved for sub-ROBINSON ROAD, KOWLOON, five scription in London, and 8,000 Shares are minutes' walk from the landing. now offered for public subscription in China, WINES and SPIRITS of the best Hongkong and Japan, payable as follows: quality only kept. -5 Taels on application, 5 Taels on allot-ment, 10 Taels on the 18th of March 1889 TWO First class Excuse and ON.

AMERICAN BILLTARD TABLES, also a and 10 Taels on the 1st of July 1889. It is TENNIS LAWN. not anticipated that any further calls will Arrangements have been made with the be required. Proprietor of the steam-launch Morning Star to run Special Night Trips, last boat EDWARD JENNER HOGG, Esq. JOHN GRÆME PURDON, Esq., or

leaving Kowloon at Midnight. Fares 10 Cents each way.

J. C. L. ROUCH, Manager. Hongkong, December 8, 1888. 2068

THE EAST BORNEO PLANTING COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

THE Transfer BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from the 21st to the 81st Instant, both days inclusive.

By Order of the Directors, H. SHEPPARD,

Secretary. Hongkong, December 19, 1888.

HOSGKONG, THURSDAY, DECEMBER 27, 1888.

Business Notices.

NOW FULLY STOCKED WITH

TAJINTER HOSIERY.

GLOVES for Morning and Evening Wear. REGULATION TANNED MILITARY GLOVES.

FOOTBALL and TENNIS JERSEYS.

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BLANKETS AND RIDER DOWN QUILTS.

LANE, CRAWFORD & Co.

Hongkong, December 24, 1888. ...

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I WHIS Extensive and well-appointed Establishment, situated in one of the most central and airy positions in the Colors and communiting a splensful view of almost the entire harbour and within homomorphics walk of the principal Concriment Offices (including the for Office), has recently been much enlarged and improved and is now one of the principal Horizon in the place. SECRETARY is WANTED for the The ROOMS are spacious, well venula id and have just been refurnished in a most comfortable and handsome manner, mitted to the requirements of the Far East. HONGKONG GENERAL CHAMRER OF The Accommodation and Service or every such will be found to be of the best description. Applications to be addressed to the

An ample and varied TABLE D'HOTE on manya provided and an wed in the spacious, lurge DINING HALL.

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Proprietors Hongkong, September 16, 1995.

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SUITABLE FOR

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VICTORIA EXCHANGE, December 17, 1888

FIALL SILK HATS. tions are of the BEST and " DRAB FELT HATS. BLACK, BROWN, DRAH and GREY HARD FRET HATS.

TERAL and other SOFT FRUS. THE ENTIRE STOCK new shapes. STRAW and PITH HATS. SILK UMBRELLAS, from \$5, over 100 to choose from.

> MEDICINES, WALKING STICKS, A VOLY large assortment WATERPROOF COATS, LEG-GINGS and CHAIR APRONS. TRAVELLING RUGS & SOUTH MANTS.

OVER COATINGS, light and OVER COATINGS, Ulster ESTABLISHED, AND WHOSE NAME Tweeds.

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Fine Black DIAGONAL and Solid LEATHER PORTMAN-Corresonew fo Dross Suits. Black, Blue & Brown Fancy Overland Trunks, GLADstone Bacs, and a variety of Travelling Cases, all

SILK & Hose, Black, Navy and Colours variety of Stripes, Checks, Lamb's Wool, Merino and Laste Thread &-Hose. White Dress Surres. Lacing & E. S. Boors and

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Large Stoe of Scaurs, Ties, HANDREBURGES, BRACES. ROBT. LANG & CO.

Hongkong, February 21, 18:8

intimations.

CANTON INSURANCE OFFICE, LIMITED.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

IN accordance with Section 12 of the Articles of Association, the General Agents, with Approval of the C naulting Committee, will on the 1st January, 18-9 ISSUE INTEREST WARRANTS of \$5 per SHARE, PAYABLE at the Hongkond AND SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION, the same being at the Rate of 10 PER CENT. per aunum on the Paid-up Capital of the Office for the year 1888, and Notice is hereby SHANGHAI LAND given that in Order that the same may be adjusted the Transfer BOOKS of the Office will be CLOSED from the 18th to the 31st

Instant, both days inclusive. JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., General Agents. CANTON INSURANCE OFFICE, LIMITED. Hongkong, December 17, 1888.

CHAS. J. GAUPP & Co., Chrynometer, Watch & Clock Makers, Sewellers, Gold & Silversmiths. MITH Power to increase, of which 1,000 NTAUTICAL, SCIENTIFIC AND Shares are to be issued paid up in [N METEOROLOGICAL

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· NOTICE. JEYE'S SANITARY COMPOUNDS COMPANY, LIMITED.

THE Undersigned have This Day been appointed SOLE AGENTS for the Sale of these PERFECT DISINFECTANTS, and are prepared to supply quantities to suit Purchasers, at Wholesale Prices. Extra special terms for Shipping and large orders. W. G. HUMPHREYS & Co.,

Bank Buildings. Hongkong, October 1, 1888.

Intimations.

THE HONGKONG HIGH LEVEL TRAMWAYS COMPANY, LIMITED.

TIME TABLE.

(To take effect from 1st November.) WEEK DAYS.

The CARS RUN as follows between Sr. Joun's Place and Victoria Gap : -8 to 10 a.m. every quarter of an hour. 12 " 2 p.a. " half bour. 3 n 7 n n quarter of an lique. THURSDAYS. NIGHT TRAMS at 10.45 and 11 p.m.

SUNDAYS. CHURCH TRAM at 10.40 a.m. 125 to 3 p.m. every half hour. quarter of an hour. Special CARS may be obtained on appli-

Single Tickets are sold in the Cars: Five-Cent Coupons and REDUCED TICKETS at the Office of MAGEWEN, FRICKEL & Co., General Managers.

VICTORIA EXCHANGE. 50 & 52, Queen's Road, Hongkone, November 6 1828.

RAMBLE THROUGH SOUTHERN A FORMOSA.—By Mr. G. TAYLOR. This Article, which has been reprinted from the China Review, contains one of the best Sketches of Formosan Life yet written. A few roughly-executed Woodcuts are included in the pamphlet.

May be had -- Price, \$1-at Messes. LANE, CRAWFOED & Co.'s, and Mesors. Kelly & WALSH, LIMITED, Houghong; also, Mr. N. MOALLE, Amoy. Hongkong, March 3, 1888

COLLEGE OF MEDICINE FOR CHINESE.

DESIDENTS in the Colony would In materially aid the SENATE of the COLLEGE by forwarding to the ALICE MEMORIAL HOSPITAL

(1). Glass Jars (for museum purposes). (2). Illustrated Papers and Books for the Student's Reading Room and Library. - Address to JAMES CANTLIE,

Hon. Sec. to the College. 1662 | Hangkeng, August 7, 1888,

DANCING PUMPS, all sizes,

STEAM TO SHANGHAL The Co.'s Steamship Bayern. Captain MERGELL will leave for the above place about 24 hours after arrival with the out- Daylight. ward German Mail.

For further Particulars, apply to MELCHERS & Co., Agents. Hongkong, December 22, 1888.

CHINA NAVIGATION COMPANY. LIMITED.

FOR PORT DARWIN, QUEENSLAND PORTS, SYDNEY & MELBOURNE.

The Co. 's Steamship Chingtu. HUNT, Commander, will be despatched as above on SUNDAY, the 30th Inst., at Daylight. The attention of Passengers is directed to the Superior Accommodation offered by this Steamer. First-class Saloon and Cabins are situated forward of the Engines. Second-class Passengers are berthed in the Poop. A Refrigerating Chamber ensures the supply of Fresh Provisions during the entire voyage. A duly qualified Surgeon is

carried. For Freight or Passage, apply to BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, A quita.

Hongkong, December 22, 1888 OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

The Co.'s Steamship Sarpedon,
Captain Chrimes, will be
despatched as above on SUNDAY, the 30th Instant. Passengers for Evere desiring to proceed Overland, can, on application to the Undersigned, have their Tickets endorsed

FOR LONDON VIA SUEZ CANAL.

for surrender at Algiers in exchange for Coupon Tickets to MARSEILLES (by Transatlantic Company's express boats), and thence to Panis or London. Algiers is 28 hours steam from Marseilles, and thence to London occupies about the same time. For Freight or Passage, apply to

BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, A wasts. Hongkong, December 22, 1888. THE CHINA SHIPPERS' MUTUAL

STEAM NAVIGATION COM-PANY, LIMITED. FOR LONDON VIA SUEZ CANAL

The Co.'s Steamship J. C. Jaques, Commider, above on or about the 2nd Proximo.

For Freight, &c., apply to ARNHOLD, KARDERG & Co., ... Agents. Hongkong, December 29, 1888.

AND CURIOS. THE Undersigned has received instruc-

tions to Sell by Public Auction, on SATURDAY,

the 29th December, 1888, at 2 p.m , at Sales Rooms, Duddell Street,-A VERY FINE COLLECTION OF

OLD CHINESE PORCELAIN AND CURIOS,

comprising :-OLD CHINESE VASES, JARS, BASINS, PLATES, &c. in FIVE COLOURS, BLUE and WHITE, IMPERIAL YELLOW, BLACK, SANG

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WOOD CARVINGS, PEKIN CLOSONNE, AGATE, CRYSTAL and JADE CURIOS, PEKIN SNUFF BOTTLES, &c.

OLD PORCELAIN SCREENS in FIVE COLOURS and Blue and White, Hawthorn Jans,

&c., &c. And other Curios.

Catalogues will be issued, and the above will be on view on Friday next, TERMS OF SALE. - Cash on delivery.

G. R. LAMMERT, Auctioneer.

NOTICE.

Captain Jones, will be despatched as above on HONGKONG AND WHAMPOA DOOK COMPANY, LIMITED.

CHIPMASTERS and ENGINEERS are respectfully informed that, if upon their arrival in this Harbour, NONE of the Company's FOREMEN should be at hand, Orders for REPAIRS if sent to the HEAD OFFICE, No. 14, Praya Central, will

will be taken to rectify the cause of disnatisfaction. D. GILLIES.

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Stura,
Capt. Caboara, will be despatched for the above BENTED TO THE PUBLIC. At Bombay the Steamers are dishcarging For further Particulars regarding Freight

Gogo Root. The natives of the Philippine Islands never use anything else for washing their hair; you never see them bald, and it is quite common to see the females with hair from 5 to 6 feet long. By using 2142 this SHAMPOO WASH as directed, you will never be bald. The Proprietor offers the Wash to the public, being entirely con-STEAM TO YOKOHAMA, VIA NAGA fident that by its restorative properties it will surely arrest decaying hair, completely oradicate sourf, dandruff, and cure all disesses of the scalp; it does not contain any The P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Steamship Verona will leave for the above

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FIRST CLASS WORKMANSHIP. MODERATE FEES.

Surgeon Dentist, (FORMERLY ASSURED APPRENTICE AND LAT-TERLY ASSISTANT TO DR. ROCERS.) A T the urgent request of his European A and American patients and friends. has TAKEN THE OFFICE formerly oc-

MARITIMES, NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

MONSIGNEES of Cargo from London ox Steamships Tamise and Munche. from Havre ax Steamship Manche, and from Bordeaux ex Steamships Frederic Marel and President Leroy Lallier, in connection with the above Steamer. are hereby informed that their Goods -with the exception of Opium, Treasure and Valuables—are being landed and stored at their risk at the Company's Godowns, whence delivery may be obtained immediately after landing. Optional Cargo will be forwarded on, unless

the Undersigned.

one cent per packet per diem. All Claims must be sent in to me on or before Monday, the 31st Instant, or they will not be recognised. No Fire Insurance has been effected.

G. DE CHAMPEAUX.

Agent.

Auctions.

PUBLIC AUCTION

OLD CHINESE PORCELAIN

Just Received from Pekin, and DE BEUF, &c., of the Ming DYNASTY and

OLD SOOCH W LACQUER, IVORY and

Intimations.

Hongkong, December 22, 1888.

receive prompt attention. In the Event of Complaints being found necessary, Communication with the Undersigned is requested, when immediate steps

Hongkong, August 25, 1885.

THIS WASH HAS PROVED ITSELF TO BE THE BEST PREPARATION EVER PRE-THE Bases of this compound is made of

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CONSULTATION FREE, Discount to missionaries and families. Sole Andreas

2, DUDDELL STREET.

(Next to the New Oriental Bank.)

Hongkong, January 12, 1886. Notices to Consignees.

STEAMSHIP OXUS. COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES

intimation is received from the Consignees before Noon To-DAY (Friday), requesting

it to be landed here. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by Goods remaining unclaimed after FRI-DAY, the 28th Instant, at Noon, will be subject to rent, and landing charges at

Hongkong, December 21, 1888, 2162

Entertainments.

G. CHIARINI'S ROYAL ITALIAN CIRCUS AND MENAGERIE,

BOWRINGTON.

OPEN Every Night. At 8, commencing 9 p.m. sharp.

Saturdays, 2 Performances, Doors open at 3, and commences at 3.30 p.m.

To-night,

27th December, 1888.

ANOTHER BRILLIANT CHANGE OF PROGRAMME. NEW EQUESTRIAN SCENES. NEW SENSATIONAL ACTS. NEW HORSES EDUCATED IN BOTH

SCHOOLS NEW COMIC AND LAUGHABLE SCENES.

TO-NIGHT.

MULLE. LE BLONDE HARMSTON, the dashing add First Class Equestrienne, will appear as the 'ENGLISH BOUNDING JOCKEY leaping from the ground upon the Horse's back without the assistance of the hands She is acknowledged PAR Excellence to be superior to any Lady Diller in this particular not

Mr GEORGE HARMSTON will carry upon a Barebacked Horse and in different attitudes the Youngest For maniant with CHARLOTTE ROWLAND.

TO-N.GHT.

TO-NIGHT, The side splitting scene of the MONKEY RACES, by Lampoon Monkeys riding on Commy di tan Panicu

TO NIGHT. THE PRANKS IN AN ENGLISH STREET

LES ENFANTS TERRIBLES by all the Company, introducing Comic Dance by the Girls and Boys.

GRAND REDUCTION OF PRICES Boxes with 6 Chairs \$9.00 Single Chairs in Boxes 1 50 Dress Circle Chairs 1 00 0.50Carpet Scala Gallery

Children and Soldiers in uniform in the Gallery, 20 Cents. F. all other parts . ! the bouse Half l'rice L MAYA,

Hongkong, December 27, 1888.

AL FRESCO FETE! TO BE SELD

TO-MORROW (FRIDAY). AND SATURDAY. the 28th and 29th December, 1888.

STALLS FOR THE SALE OF MAGNIFICENT EMBROIDERIES AND Daylight. RARE CURIOS.

WONDEREUL STRUTTING PHENIX, newly captured.

TROUPE OF CHINESE TUMBLERS.

GRILL ROOM, Under the Personal Superintendence of Mr. Thomas. . ---

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BRILLIANT ILLUMINATIONS. THOUSANDS OF LANTERNS.

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and the Officers of the 58th Regt.) CHINESE PRIZE BAND.

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COLLECTION!

GATES TO OPEN AT 5.30 P.M. ENTRANCES : - All the Garden Gates except that in Garden Road (next to Kennedy Road Nullah), which thoroughfare will

be closed on both nights of the Fête.

Price of Admission. One Dollar (\$1), Each Day. Schools, Children, Soldiers and Sailors in Uniform, Half Price.

Tickets Now for Sale at Mesers Kelly and Walsh's & Messes Lane, Chawford & Co's.

Hongkong, December 27, 1888.

GARRISON THEATRE.

SATURDAY & MONDAY, 29th and 31st December.

BENEFIT OF

P&H I L. RAY,

THE POPULAR COMEDIAN. On this occasion a most attractive Pro-

gramme will be produced at Popular prices. Hongkong, December 26, 1888. SAILOR'S HOME.

NY Cast-off CLOTHING, BOOKS, or A PAPERS will be thankfully received at the Sailor's Home, West Point. Hengkong, July 25, 188",

GENTLEMAN, just arrived, speaking the English, French, Genman, ITALIAN, SPANISH and RUSSIAN LANGUAGES, and being a Firm Correspondent in English, Fronch, German and Spanish, DESIRES a POSITION suitable to his Abilities. Same has had Good Business experience in the Import, Export and Shipping-line in d'fferent parts of the world and is possessed

of Very Good Certificates. Please address ; MR. W. E. BARTEL. . Victoria Hotel Houghoug. Hongkong, December 27, 1888. FOR HOLHOW, SINGAPORE AND

PENANG. The British Steamship Capt. Hangrost, will be despatched for the above

Port on SATURDAY, the 29th Instant, at For Freight or Passage, apply to

SWEE LIONG CHAN. Hongkong, December 27, 1888. SCEAS STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

FOR SHANGHAL FIA AMOY. (I day targe de Pessengers at through rates On NINGPO, CHEFOR, NEW TOWANG, PIPSTEIN, HANKOW File of VANGISZE

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Aurais. Hongkong, December 27, 1888. 2152 OLEN LINE OF STEAM PACKETS FOR LONDON FIA SUEZ CANAL

The Steamship Captain Munkay, will be despatched as above SATURDAY, the 29th Instant, at Noon. For Froight or Passage, apply to

JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., A genta. Hongkong, December 27, 1888. 2203 THE CHINA & MANUA STEAMSHIP

COMPANY, LIMITED. FOR MANUA FILLAMOY The Co a Steamship Capt. Met'asian, will be

Fort on SATURDAY the Olich Instant, at For Freight to Passage, apply to

RUSSELL & Co., General Managers. H. ngkong, Documber 27, 1888 DODGLAS REFAMBILE COMPANY

LIMITED FOR SWATOW, AMOY & FOOCHOW.

The Car's Steamship Namou. Captain Poenos, will be despatched for the above Ports on SUNDAY, the 30th Instant, at

For Freight or Passage, apply to DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co., General Managers.

Hongloong, December 27, 1888. 2197 NETHERLANDS INDIA STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY, LIMITED.

FOR SINGAPORE, BATAVIA. SAMARANG AND SOURABAYA. The Steamship

Nerbudda, Captain GILLET, will be despatched as above on or about the 31st Instant. For Freight or Passage, apply to

JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.,

Hongkong, December 27, 1888. FOR SINGAPORE, HAVRE ANI HAMBURG.

(Taking Vargo at through rates to ANTWERP, AMSTERDAM, ROTTEL DAM, LONDON, LIVERPOOL

and BREMEN.) The Steam ship Captain J. Voss, will be despatched for the above Ports on SATURDAY, the January, 1889, at Noon.

For Freight or Passage, apply to SIEMSSEN & Co.,

Hongkong, December 27, 1888.

NOTICE. COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES

MARITIMES. PAQUEBOTS POSTE FRANCAIS.

STEAM FOR SAIGON, SINGAPORE, BATAVIA, COLOMBO, PONDICHERRY, MADRAS, CALCUTTA, ADEN, SUEZ, PORT SAID,

MEDITERRANEAN AND BLACK SEA PORTS, ALEXANDRIA, MARSEILLES, AND PORTS

OF BRAZIL, AND LA PLATA; LONDON, HAVRE, BORDEAUX,

DUNKIRK AND ANTWERP.

ON WEDNESDAY, the 9th January, 1889, at Noon, the Company's S.S. CALDONIEN, Commandant MAUBRUGE,

with MAILS, PASSENGERS, SPECIE, and CARGO, will leave this Port for the above places. Cargo and Specie will be registered for

London as well as for Marseilles, and socepted in transit through Marseilles for the principal places of Europe.

Shipping Orders will be granted till

Cargo will be received on board until 4 p.m., Specie and Parcels until 3 p.m. on the 8th January, 1889. (Parcels are no to be sent on board; they must be suft at the Agency's Office. Contents and value of Packages are re-

For further particulars, apply at the Company's Office. G. DE CHAMPEAUX,

Agent. Hongkong, December 27, 1888,

To-day's Advertisements. To-day's Advertisements.

THEATRE ROYAL. OLTY HALL.

THE AMERICAN MUSICAL COMEDY AND OPERA COMPANY. Directors: MESSES. P. W. WILLARD

AND JOHN F. SHERIDAN. THIS EVENING, 27th December, 1888.

Audran's Popular Comic Opera, 'LA MASCOTTE.

CAST OF CHARACTERS. KING LORENZOMr J. F. SHEBIDAN Rocco (a Firmer) , A. Sutch. Pippo (a Shepherd) , H. M. Ima o Fritellini Charles Fisher Attendant H' f'ripps Frametta (Betrothed | Miss Flo. Morrison

to Fritellini) " Vera Patcy Giacomo " E. Leamingto Fernando } Pages , Nellie Arline Верро Bettins (The Mascotte) , G Whiteford

Act I.—Rocco's FARM. Act II -PALACE OF KING LORENZO. Act III. AT THE FOOT OF THE AUPENINES. . MR. J. A. ROBERTSON. Conductor

Prices of Admission: Dross Orchanni Special Stalls - \$3. The Plan may be seen and Seats secured of Messers, KELLY & WALRIE'S, LIMITED

Hengkong, December 27, 1888.



PEMBERTON W. WILLARD.

NOTICE.

(IROWN RENTS for the Half Year end J ing 25th December, 1888, should be PAID into the TREASURY on or before the 15th JANUARY NEXT.

H. E. WODEHOUSE, Acting Treasurer. TREASURY. Hongkong, December 22, 1888.

HONGKONG HORTICULTURAL EXHIBITION SOCIETY THE 16TH EXHIBITION will be held

on the 14th and 15th of FERRUARY Schedules of Prizon and Rules to be buind from CHARLES FORD,

How. Secretary Hougkong, December 27, 1888 * PUBLIC AUCTION.

HE Undersigned has received instructions to Sell by Public Auction, on MONDAY.

the 31st December, 1888, at 2 p.m., at his Salos Rooms, Queen's Road, -AN ASSORTMENT OF

JAPANESE WARE, comprising :-PORTO VASES, JABS, BOWLS, PLATES, IN-CENSE BURNESS, THA and COFFEE SETS, EGG-SHELL WARE, ENAMETED WARE, BRONZES, IVORY CARVINGS, IVORY INLAND PANELS, KAKIMONOS, EMBROIDERIES, EM- 1080.

de., de., de. TRUMS OF SALE. -- As customary. J. M. ARMSTRONG. Auctioneer. Hongkong, December 27, 1888.

BROIDERED SCREENS and CARINETS.

NORDDEUTSCHER LLOYD. NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

STEAMSHIP BAYERN, FROM BREMEN AND PORTS OF CALL

ITHE above-named Steamer having arrived, Consignees of Cargo are hereby informed that their Goods, with the exception of Opium, Treasure and Valuables, are being landed and stored at their risk into the Godowns of the Hongkong and Kow-LOON WHARF AND GODOWN COMPANY, LTD. Kowloon, whence delivery may be obtained OPTIONAL CARGO will be landed here in Hongkong unless notice to the contrary be given before 11 a.m. To-DAY, the 27th

No Claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godowns, and all Goods remaining undelivered after the 6th January, 1889, will be subject to rent. All broken, chafed, and damaged Goods are to be left in the Godowns, where they will be examined on WEDNESDAY, the 9th

January, 1889, at 4 p.m. All Claims must reach us before the 10th January, 1889, or they will not be re-

No Fire Insurance has been effected. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by MELCHERS & Co.,

Hongkong, December 27, 1888. GLEN LINE OF STEAM PACKETS. FROM LONDON, PENANG AND

SINGAPORE. THE Steamship Glenearn, having arrived I from the above Ports, Consignees of Cargo by her and by the S.S. Tower Hill, from New York, are hereby informed that their Goods are being landed at their risk into the Godowns of the Hongsong an KOWLOON WHARF AND GODOWN Co., LD., at Kowloon, whence delivery may

Optional Cargo will be forwarded unless notice to the contrary be given before China Sugar Company, Limited Noon To-DAY. Cargo remaining undelivered after the 3rd Proximo will be subject to rent. No Fire Insurance has been effected.

Consignees are also requested to present all Claims for damages and/or shortages not later than the 10th January, 1889, otherwise they will not be recognized. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by

JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., Hongkong, December 27, 1888.

Not Responsible for Debts.

ATrither the Captain, the Agents, nor Owners will be Responsible for any Debt contracted by the Officers or Crew of the following Vessels, during their stay in Hongkong Harbour :-BYLGIA, German barque, Capt. Weiss. -

Wieler & Co. ESMERALDA, British schooner, Capt. H. Williams. -Order. RAPHARL, American ship, Captain E, W. Harkness,-Order.

SHIPPING.

ARRIVALS. December 26, 1888 :--.

Melita, German str., 339, H. S. Mörck Haiphong December 23, Rice. - Wieler &

Kaifong, British steamer, 997, Thomas Gyles, Shanghai December 18, via Chinkinng and Wuhu 22, General. -Burren FIELD & SWIRE

Dafila, Spanish steamer, 539, J. Ajubita, Manila Dec. 22, General. -- Chinese.

December 27 :-Bayern, German steamer, 2,877, F. Mergell, Bremen November 16, and Singapore Dec. 21, Mails and General -MELCHERS &

Diomed, British steamer, 1,470, Bigley, Liverpool and Singapore Dec. 18, General. -Butterfield & Swire.

Glenearn, British str., 1,410, P. Brass, London November 7, and Singapore Dec. 19, General. - JARDINE, MATHESON & Co. Occanic, British steamer, 3,8 8, Jno. Metcalfe, San Francisco November 28, and Yokohama December 21, Mails and General. -O. & O. S S. Co.

Zafiro, British steamer, 675; A. A. Mc-Castin, Manila Dec. 24, General, -Russell Glenart cy, British steamer, 1,400, Wm. Murray, Swatow December 27, General .-

JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.

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Hangehow, British steamer, from Wham-Fooksang, British steamer, from Wham-

Tairean, British steamer, 1,109, Clegg, Nagasaki December 24, General.—Butter-

> DEPARTURES. December 27 :-

Kaifong, for Whampoa. Sutlej, for hanghai. Mongket for Swatow and Bangkok. Yiksang, for Swatow. Chow chow-foo, for Swatow. Amigo, for Haiphong.

CLEARED. Peking, for Shanghai. Earn, for Singapore. Vorwaerts, for Touron. Fokien, for Coast Ports. 2191 | Namuana, for Amoy. Hangchow, for Chefoo.

Auton, for Hollow.

Gara, for Haiphong.

bitte, and 288 Chinese.

PASSENGERS. ARRIVED. Per Melita, from Haiphong, 5 Chinese. Per Bayern, from Bremen, &c., Mr Wheen and family, Mr E. Barnewitz, Baron Le Fort, A. Simon, Mr H. Manning, Mr F. Monearini and fimily, Messrs F. Vaudin,

2199 F. Patrick, Mrs Knaepel, Messrs L. Kurtner, A. Kuntze and W. Leuschner, and 318 Chinese. Per Diomed, from Singapore, 600 Chi-Por Glenearn, from London: for Shang-

hal, Lieut. Col. Clark, and Mr J. Khron.

From Singapore : for Hongkong, 426 Chi-Per Oceanic, from San Francisco, &c., Lieut. E. G. Bayliss, Rev. C. R. Hager, Rev. J. Grundy, Mr J. Peyne, Capt. F. L. Sommers, Hon. Jacob T. Child (U. S. Minister to Sigm), Miss Fisher, Mr H KANGA, IMARI, KIOTO, SATSUMA and W. Dick, Mrs Kenderding, child, infant and servant. Miss Efford, Mrs H. L. Tib-

> Per Zufire, from Manila, 100 Chinese. Per Genaritien, from Swatow, 360 Chi-DEPARTED. Per Mongkut, for Swatow, 2 Europeans, and 195 Chinese.

TO DEPART. Per Peking, for Shanghai, 27 Chinese. Per Forwarts, for Touron, 25 Chinese. Per Fokien, for Coast Ports, 1 European, and 280 Chinese. Per Anton, for Holhow, 50 Chinese.

Per Clara, for Haiphong, 30 Chinese.

SHIPPING REPORTS The British steamer Diomed reports: Lat. 6° N. to Paracela got atrong monsoon with very high sea, shipping much water; thence to port moderate N.E. wind and fine

The British steamer Glenearn reports From Singapore fine weather to 8° N., from 8° to 15° atrong monsoon with high sea; from 15° to Hongkong moderate weather. The British steamer Oceanic reports: Left Yokohama December 21st, at 6 a.m., to Port Sima N.E. winds; thence to Van Diemans Straits, light North-North-Westerly winds and very smooth sea; after passing Straits, fresh N.N.W. winds for 20 hours thence to Turnabout light Northerly winds and very smooth sea; from Turnsbout to

port, light North Easterly winds and very amooth sea. The British steamer Zafiro reports: Had fresh to atrong monsoon with high sea throughout The British steamer Glenartney reports :

Had light N. to N.N.W. wind, with fine clear weather and amouth sea. The British steamer Taiwan reports: Experienced variable winds, and fine weather during the passage.

POST OFFICE NOTICES. MAILS will close:-

For SHANGHAL. Per Bayern, at 9.30 a.m., on Friday. the 28th inst. (Correspondence may be posted on board until time of departure.)

For AMOY & MANILA. -I ar Dafila, at 3.30 p.m., on Friday, the

For HAIPHONG.-Per Melita, at 3.30 p.m., on Friday, the 28th inst. For MANILA. -

Per Don Juan, at 3.30 p.m., on Friday, the 28th inst. For KOBE & YOKOHAMA .-Per Bengloc, at 3.30 p m., on Friday, the 28th inst. For SHANGHAL -Per Peking, at 3.30 p.m., on Friday, the

For HOIHOW & STRAITS. -Por Flintshire, at 5 p.m., on Friday, the 28th unst.

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Quotations Hongkong, December 27. -New Patna; cash... 5761 ,, cash, -New Benares, cash, 555 cash, -New Malwa, cash,... 640 Allowance, Taels ... None Old Malwa, cash,... 66 1/680 Allowance, Taels ... 4/24 Persian, Oily, cash 525 Allowance, Taols ... 40/64 Persian, Paper tied 525 Allowance, Table ... 40/64

> Exchange. HANGKONG December 27

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METEOROLOGICAL REGISTER AT 4 P.M. TO-DAY. Barometer . . . 30.67 Temperature . . . 64 Damp Bulb . . . 53 Direction of Wind . NE Force 2 Weather . . . b

Hongkong Observator , Dec. 27, 1888. General Memoranda. SATURDAY, December 29 :-2 p.m.-Auction of Old Chinese Curios. &c., at Mr G. R. Lammert's.

Form Co., Ltd., at No. ö, Stanley Street. 5.30 p.m. -Al Fresco Fête. Performance at the Garrison Theatre.

50 12 % prem., buyers

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Monday, December 31:-2 p.m.—Auction of Japanese Ware, &c., at Mr J. M. Armstrong's. Performance at the Garrison Theatre.

Dec. 27, 18-8, SHARE LIST.-QUOTATIONS. Closing Qualate ... Pai-Stocks. all 159, % prem., sellers Hongkong and Shanghai Bank Corp. 60,000 \$ Union Insurance Society Co., Ld.... 10,000 \$ 25 -75, sales. China Traders' Insurance Co., Ld. ... 24,000 \$ 50 Tls. 290, buyers North-China Insurance Co., Ld..... Yangteze Insurance Association, Ld. 8,000 £ all Tis. 97 200 \$165, buyers Chinese Insurance Co., Limited..... Canton Insurance Office Co., Ld.... 10,006 8 50 972, buyers The Straits Insurance Co., Ld. 30,000 8 20:825, nom. Hongsong Fire Insurance Co., Ld. .. 8,000 & 50 \$340, buyera Chin. Fire furmanc: Co., Ld. 20,000 & 20 317 The Straits Fire Insurance Co., Ld. 20,000 8 Singapore Insurance Company, Ld. 40,000 8 100 8 125 all \$40 % prem. H'kong & Whampos Dock Co., Ld. 12,500 STEAMBOAT COMPANIES. 20 all 121 % prem. HK. C. and M. Steamboat Co., Ld. 40,000 8 17 % prem., buyers Indo-China S. N. Company, Limite | 60,000 | all \$65, buyers all \$1721 Douglas Steamship Co., Limited 20,000 & China and Manila S. S. Co., Ld..... MISCELLANEOUS. all \$197, buyers Luzon Sugar Company, Limited Punjom & Sunghie Dua Samatan 1 all \$81, buyers Société Française des Charbon-8,000 Fes. 500 Fa. 500 100 % prem., nom. nages du Tonkin HK. & Kow. Wharf & Godown Co. 17,000 all 77 % prem., sellers al! 100 % prem. A. S. Watson & Co., Limited Cruickshank & Co., Limited par, buyers all \$170, ex div., nominal

Hongkong Hotel Company, Lt 3,000 HK. and China Gas Co., Limited. 7.10 \$130, nominal New Shares. ali \$102; buyers Hongkong Ice Company, Limited ... 5,000 \$85, nominal Hongkong Bakery Company, Ld. al: H'kong Rope Manufactory Co., Ld. all \$13, cash Hongkong Dairy Farm Co..... 100 \$ 50 \$250 % prem., nominal HK. High-Level Tramways Co., Ld. all Campbell, Moore & Co., Limited ... 50 8 East Borneo Planting Co., Limited Austin Arms Hotel and Building \ 4,006 8 ∫ 25% dis. on \$20—\$15 per Company, Limited..... Songei Koyah Planting Co., Ld. 5,000 \$

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MEMOS. FOR TO-MORROW Shipping. 4 p.m .- Peking leaves for Shanghai.

Amusements. 5.30 p.m. - Al Fresco Fête. 9 p.m -Chiarini's Royal Italian Circus and Monagorie. Miscellaneous.

Goods per Steamer Oxus unclaimed after Noon subject to rent.

A. S. WATSON & Co., LIMITED. WE HAVE NOW IN STOCK

CRYSTALLIZED APRICOTS. CRYSTALLIZED PEARS CRYSTALLIZED CHERRIES, ORYSTALLIZED FIGS. ORYSTALLIZED GREENGAGES.

CHOCOLATE; CHOCOLATE CRÉMES, CHOCOLATE MENIER.

BOULES DE GOMME AND CORAL CANDY. MUSCATELS.

FIGS AND JORDAN ALMONDS. METZ FRUITS in 4th and 1th boxe.

TOM SMITH'S BONBONS, RIMMELS, FLORAL & ROSE WATER. CRACKERS, &c., &c. THE HONGKONG DISPENSARY December 15th, 1888.

25 The publication of this issue commerced a: 7.30 p.m.

The China Itail. HONGKONG, THURSDAY, DECEMBER 27, 1888.

LOCAL AND GENERAL. PASSED SUEZ UANAL. HUTWARD BOUND:- Cascapedia, Exe, Oct. 30; Benlawers, Glenavo., Stentor, Dec. 4; Hesperia, 7; Glaucus, 11; Carmar-

HOMEWARD HOUND :- Moray, October 19:

Spindrift, Nov. 27; Glamorganshire,

thenshire, 14; Patroclus, 18.

Glencoe (1), Dec. 4; Lydia, Titan, 7; Glenorchy, Sachsen, 18. The steamer Melbourne, with the FRENCH MAIL of December 1, loft Singapore p.m., and may be expected here on or about Wednesday, the 2nd Jan. This Packet brings replies to letters de-

The s.s. Benglos left Singapore on the 19th instant, and may be expected here on or about the 27th instant.

Liverpool, left Singapore on the 20th inst., and may be expected here on or about the 28th inst. The steamship Japan, from Calcutta, left Singapore on the 23rd inst., and 3 th inst.

here on or about the 31st just The Glen Line steamer Steneagles, from about the 2nd Jap.

Hongkong on the 4th inst.

THE s.s. Melbourne, with the French mail of Dec. 1st, left Singapore at 6 p.m. yesterday for Saigon and this port.

New York, left Singapore for this port yes-THE Post Office will be closed on New Year's Day. No delivery of any description Mr F. W. Cross will take place. Money Orders &c. intend-3 p.m.-Meeting of Shareholders of Dairy | ed for the outgoing mail on Wednesday must be applied for before 5 p.m. on Mon-

day, 31st instant. The Parcel mail for

Europe closes at 3 p.m. on Monday. WE believe the arrangements for the grand fête in the gardens to-morrow and on Saturday are all but completed. The programme promises a splendid entertainment, and we believe there will also be some 'surprises. The Chinese have bought up a large number of tickets and there seems every chance of the venture being a success. The weather is somewhat cold, but not so cold as to make strolling about the gardens uncomfortable.

A BUTCHER named Lau Kan was charged at the Police Court to-day with endevouring to kidnep a school-boy, eleven years of age. The boy went to the house of his eldest brother's sweatheart, and there he met the defendant, who, under the pretext of affording amusement to the boy, took him on board the Kinking, which was about to sail for Macao. Fortunately they were discovered by a detective of the Po Loung Kok and the defendant was arrested. He was committed for trial at the Supreme JOSEPH JOSEPH was charged at the Police

Court to-day with stealing a brilliant finger ring, of the value of \$50, belonging to one D. B. da Silva, a jeweller in Lyndhurst Terrace. Joseph, it appeared from the evidence, called on the complainant with the alleged object of purchasing a ring, and after inspecting a number and haggling about the price, he left without striking a bargain. When he was gone, it was discovered that a brilliant ring had also walked off. The police were put on the track and Joseph was soon a prisoner. He was centenged to six months hard labour.

Coning events cast their shadows before.

The 'shadow' of our new Viceroy, says a

Calcutta paper, comes in a somewhat sub-

stantial form, and the first signs of His

Excellency's advent have already appeared.

Sixty cases of Scotch whisky consigned to

'H. E. Marquis Lansdowne' were dis-

charged from the S. S. Karamania on

Saturday,

CRICKET.—The H. K. C. C. will play the 58th Regiment to-morrow, commencing at

THE St Andrew's Dinner in Calcutta (says the Pioneer, and we may say the same for Colombo) is rapidly becoming to India (and Ceylon) what the Lord Mayor's Banquet is to England. The one on Friday night was even more successful than usual and the important political speech which the Viceroy delivered on the occasion is the sole topic of discussion in Calcutta at the present moment, as it is likely to be all over India for a considerable time to come. Curiously enough, only a few seats removed from His Excellency at dinner was Mr George Yule, President-elect of the forthcoming Congress meeting at Allahabad, who thus learned at first hand the opinion held by the responsible head of the Government on the movement with which he has thought fit to associate himself .- Ceylen Observer.

The following are the objects of the new bill introduced into the Legislative Council of the Straits Settlements for the suppression of Secret Societies :-- The object of this Bill is to invest the Government with fuller powers of controlling and suppressing what are known as Dangerous Societies. Every society of more than two persons, with certain exceptions, will be unlawful unless registered under the Ordinance, and no society can be so registered without the previous approval of the Governor in Council (clauses 5 & 6). Existing societies registered under the existing law must obtain that approval and register themselves within three months after the commencement of the Ordinance, in default of so doing they become unlawful socities. Penalties are int-2118 posed on persons managing orassisting in the management of an unlawful society, and in addition they may be banished by order of the Governor in Council (clause 7). Persons being members of, or attending meetings of, or allowing their premises to be used for the purposes of an unlawful society, are subject to punishment (clauses 8 & 9), but no prosecution is to be instituted under the Ordinance without the Attorney-General's flat (clause 10). The proof that society is an unlawful one is facilitated (clause 10) by throwing the onus on the accused of shewing that the society is not one that requires registration. For this purpose, the accused is empowered to give evidence on his own behalf (clause 16). The Governor in Council may dissolve a society, and thereupon its property will vest in the Official Assignee in Bankruptcy, or some other Officer appointed for the occasion, whose duty it will be to divide it amongst the members. In case of difficulty, he will apply to the Supreme Court (clauses 11 & 12). Power is given to the Registrars to summon before them persons on Wednesday, the 26th Dec., at 6 who can give any information respecting

The Canadian Pacific Co.'s steamer Albany 200 500 Pts. Total. left Vancouver for Yokohama and Mr C. Ford Mr A. Shelton Hooper 28 Mr Edgar Shapherd 24 25 Mr E. L. Woodin 32 28 Mr J. W. Noble . 29 12 20 Mr E. Jones Hughes 22 12 24 Messes Jardine, Matheson & Co. inform P.C. W. Robertson 30 $\mathbf{23}$ us that the Glen Line a. s. Gleneagles, from Mr E. Robinson . 31 Mr E. J. Moses . 30 18 . 0 Mr W. C. Murray Mr R. Drury 16 Mr John Andrew 36 Mr K. McK. Ross Mr J. Willmott

> mas season have had the great advantage on this occasion of being carried on under excellent weather. Pig-nic parties have therefore been specially successful, and the cheerfulness which ought to pervade the community at this period has in no way, been interfered with by the meteorological

thedral was more than usually attractive, and was, as usual, largely attended. The choral service was exceedingly good, among the items being the solo Comfort ye, my people from The Messiah, which was admirably rendered by Mr Robinson, followed by the chorus from the same grand work, 'And the glory of the Lord shall be revealed. The building was beautifully decorated, and exquisite taste was shown in the arrangement of the flowers and the blending of colours.

The Christmas service was held for the

first time in the new Roman Catholic Cathe-

dral, and was also largely attended. The

interior of the building was brightened

by floral decorations. A string orchestra

THE BURLIN FOUNDLING HOUSE,

accompanied the midnight mass.

The Christmas celebration in the Berlin Foundling House chiefly consisted of a service partly in German, partly in Chinese, in which the history of the birth of Christ was brought home to those present by words of the Bible interspersed with appropriate lyrical apuge. Among the songs given by

the existence of any unlawful society or the operations of any society (clause 15). spatched from Hongkong on Oct. 24. HONGKONG RIFLE ASSOCIATION. MONTHLY HANDICAP CHALLENGE CUP. The seventh competition for this Cup The O. S. S. Co.'s steamer Telemachus, from and the money prize of \$5 took place yesterday afternoon, and was won for the first time by Mr C. Ford, with a score of 74 points, Mr Shelton Hooper being second may be expected here on or about the with 78 points. Considerable interest was felt in the close competition between Messrs The Navegazione Generale Italiana Co.'s Ford and Hooper, as, had Mr Hooper steamer Bormida, Captain De Negri. left Singapore for this port on the 24th | topped the score, the Challenge Cup would inst., and may be expected to arrive have fallen to him as the winner three times. The Cup will have to be shot for New York, left Singapore on the 26th again until Mr Hooper or some one else Dec , and may be expected here on or has won it three times. The score is as

> Mr Wm, Legge 20* Previous winners. WINNERS OF PREVIOUS COMPETITIONS. June, Mr W. C. Murray 63 points. July, P.C. W. Robertson . . 67 Angust, Mr A. Shelton Hooper 68 September, Mr C. D. Wilkinson 65 October, Major Knight, R.E. Nov., Mr A. Shelton Hooper .

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The festivities incidental to the Christ-

THE CHRISTMAS HOLIDAYS

conditions. Christmas day itself was, of course, a general holiday, and the European community gave itself up to celebrating the day in one way or another. CHRISTMAS BERVICES.

The Christmas service at St. John's Ca-

recitative telling the Christmas-story and an aria on the words of the Angels' song. After the service those assembled in the Chapel went down into the Foundling House, where in three adjoining rooms there was a display of establus, toys, clothing and household articles, each of the girls finding a place with her name. Some of the girls being brides received articles of Chinese toilut and other things for their marriage. In one of the rooms there was a large fir-tree decorated with many coloured flowers made by the children and lit up by many candles, a representation of Bethlehem being under the tree. Among those present were Lady des Voux and goodly number of European and Chinese

THE SOLDIERS AND THE POLICE.

visitora.

The soldiers of 58th Regiment and the Garrison made merry in the customary way. the Royal Engineers and Artillery also joining in the festivities. The Highland Regiment, at Kowloon, tried to keep the cold out of their bones by good cheer, although we believe that, following the old Scotch custom, they reserve their chief fastivities till the New Year, which they 'bring in' in the time-honoured way. The members of the Police Force, who used to .colebrate Christmas by inviting their friends to a dinner and a dance, refrained from any - such jollification this year for some reason or other. It has been assumed that this annual treat was provided for the guardians of the peace by the 'authorities,' and disappointment has been expressed that it should have been withheld this year. The fact is, however, that the force has always on these occasions made morry at its own expense.

many people to seek enjoyment out patronised during the day.

Yesterday, although by no means a holiday in the general sense, owing to there being an incoming and an outgoing mail, was spent by a considerable portion of the The weather again being delightful successful outings took it could hardly be said to be a case of pleasure-secking) was that of the Hongkong Volunteers, who gallantly saved the rising village of Yau-ma-ti from the ruthless grasp of a supposed enemy. The Volunteers, officers and mon alike, may fairly claim to have distinguished themselves on this cccasion. The hombardment of the dummy targets was most effective, and the way the Voluntoors scattered death-dealing missiles about would be very embarrassing and unhealthy for roal foe. No mishaps occurred during the engagement, and the services Surgeon-Major Cantlie were not required. A detailed account of the action will

be found below. CHIARINI'S CIRCUS.

The public entertainments in the evenings have been fairly well patronised during the week. Chiarini's Circus, which is increasing its popularity by attractive novelties, being particularly favoured. As substitute for the orthodox Christmas Pantomime. Chiarini's big show with its spectacular and funny business is a seasonable treat to old and young alike, and the large well-lit tent is a pleasant place to spend an evening in. Among the new attractions in the programme we need only mention that Miss Le Blude Harmston, one of the most dashing and graceful equestrionnes we have seen, performs the celebrated 'English Bounding Jockey' feat of longing from the ground upon the back of a cantering horse, without the assistance of her hands; that Mr George Harmston performs some naw and during feats of horsemanship on a barebacked steed; that there is an extremely funny pony race with monkeys as jocks, and that the entertainment concludes with something of the farcical order to send everybody home in good humour.

THE TUBATRU. Sutch had a moderately successful wrestle on the right back through the defile. occasion to tell Miss Whiteford some time failed to do damage. The enemy's remain. more his satisfaction with the day's work fleet was below the necessary level, but said ago that she ought not to shout all her high ing gun was quickly silenced, and the and thanked the members of the corps for that it had been gradually augmented in notes, and we repeat the advice with all targets on the right were well riddled their attendance. The men returned the recent years, and he hoped to further auggincerity. In 'Caller Herrin' this versa- by shell. On a small body of the enemy compliment by giving three hearty cheers ment it in 1889.

the children of the institution there was a tile little lady sang much better, and as she who were supposed to have appeared for their officers before separating, and all recitative telling the Christmas story and is deservedly a favourite she was quite suddenly within a short distance of the second highly pleased well the day's outan excellent Valentin, and Miss Flo Mor- Hotel, Rousillon. Mr Imano as Capt. de Merrimae | ongagement, took the opportunity to ad was not quite in his element, and Mr J. dress a few words to the corps. He said --F. Sheridan as the Duc des Ifs was simply Gentlemen, I have a very pleasant duty to will be produced.

> THE HONGKONG VOLUNTEERS ON THE WARPATH Yesterday the Hongkong Vo'unteers had their Boxing-Day outing, and instead of spending the day idly they devoted themsolves to some gan practice of a very useful sort and involving pretty hard work. There as not so large a turnout as was at first expected, but this was due in some measure to mail work. The force cogsisted of four guns and the officers present were Major Tripp, (commandant), Captain McCallum, Lieut, Hawkins (adjutant), Lieut. Woolley, Licut, Holmes, Lieut, Denson, and Surgeon-Major Cantlie. The work cut out for the day was that of againting in repelling a supposed attack on Yaumati. The scheme was as follows :-

'A mixed force of the enemy (artillery and nfantry) is a trancing on Yaumati from the direction of Kowloon by the defile at the back of Association Range at 11 30 Having crowned the beights on The fine weather of Tuesday tempted cither side with infantry, it attempts to debauch from the defile, deploying to both flanks, under cover of a battery established doors and the Peak Tramway was largely in the rocky knoll in front. The Hongkong Volunteers' battery (7 ndrs) is part of a force of infantry and artillery ordered to attack and drive back the enemy into the defiles. At 11.30 a.m. it comes into action to the left of the Observatory. and is told off to cannonade that section of the enemy's line on the lower ground to European community in pleasure-asoking. I the left of the knoll to cover the mivance of the infantry. The attack succeeds in driving back the enemy's infantry on both flanks and partially silencing the guns Among the number (although | and at mon the battery is ordered to advance to a second position about 500 yards to the front to support the close attack on the enemy's position. While in this position it receives and repulses a counterattack of the enemy and then continues its fire until masked by the advance of the infantry. It then advances to the captured position to fire on the chemy's line of retreat. Targets will represent a battery on the left slope of the knoll, an infantry escort in extended order in front of it, and overal companies of the enemy's infantry deployed on the left of the battery, the counter-attack at close quarters, and possibly also a small column retiring through the defile. " "

fire on the enemy.

glare of the sun from a cloudless sky made

the exertions of the corps all the more fatiguing. The guns too were undermanned, there being only six men to each. The men however entered heartily into the work and accomplished it in a most soldierlike manner. It was essential to the success of the operations that the battery should be planted in the first position before being observed by the enemy. In order to ascertain whether this would be accomplished a watch was kept from the enemy's position for the first indication of the presence of the Volunteers, which was to be announced by firing a shot. Captain McCallum, to whom the task was assigned selected a route which afforded good cover, and the men having been ordered to divest At the Theatre the performances have | themselves of their white helmets and been fairly well attended, all things con- don their forage caps proceeded warriy sidered; but people do not seem to care to their destination. The guns were much for the ordinary run of theatrical or got into position and everything was operatic entertainments at this season. put in readiness for opening fire without The Scotch programme on Christmas Eve, any indication from the enemy's posiwhen the entertainment was for the benefit | tion that the Volunteers had been of Mr J. W. Robertson, the able musical | seen, and indeed it was only when the Vodirector of 'the Company, afforded a lunteer bugler blew a warning that the good deal of pleasure to the audience. It shot from the enemy's position was fired. might, however, with a little more pre- Major Tripp having at this stage taken paration have been a great deal better, and command of the battery, assisted by Lieut but for the assistance the company received | Hawkins, after a few trial shots which from three well-known local amateurs, the served to give an idea of the distance (about first part of the programme would have 1050 yards) the Volunteers got their fire been somewhat dull. The singing of right into the enemy's position, and after 'Scots wha hae,' arranged for solo and about an hour succeeded in putting three was marked by tunefulness and of the enemy's four guns out of action. A vigour, if not with due attention to ex. | long target on the right, representing a pression, and it was enthusiastically re- I body of infantry coming through the defile, ceived. Mr. Fisher's rendering of 'Jessie I was then fired on. The first two shots were the Flower o' Dunblane was by no means I too high, but from the damage done by two a bad attempt at a Scotch song, but, succeeding shots, one of which struck the like most of the other performers. Mr target on the right side and the other on Fisher was hampered by the unfamiliarity the left they were judged to have been of the text and the dialect. Miss Vera sufficient to dispose of this portion of the Patey, who boldly discarded the book in | invading force. After this highly satisfacsinging 'There's nae luck about the hoose.' tory work the Volunteers proceeded to take after an amusing attempt to give the words | their guns to the second position, with the their Sotch prononciation, lapsed hopeless- object of dispusing of the remaining gun of ly into the tongue of the Southron. Mr | the enemy's battery and driving t e escort with 'My love is like a red, red rose'. guns were taken down through the wood Miss Flo Morrison might easily have to the road, where they were limbered selected a song more suited to her than again and dragged to the second position. 'Flora Macdonald's Lament'; as it was, On the way, some much needed refreshshe neither did herself nor the song justice. | ment was provided for the men by the Mr Imano achieved a success with 'Bon- indefatigable Quartermaster Mehta. Keepnie Dundee' and 'Gae bring too me ing as much as possible under cover the a pint o' wine.' 'Mendelssohn's charming | Volunteers brought their guns into position dust 'O wert thou in the could blast', was on the wooded knoll, with a degree of sung with much taste and expression by Mrs smartness and an absence of fuss highly stretcher drill by Surgeon-Major Cantlie. Frazer Smith and Miss Stopani. Both these | creditable alike to officers and men. From ladies also contributed solos which were the business-like way in which they went tachment has had since May last, and the very well received. Mr Fraser Smith, about their work and the excellent judg- manner in which the work was done was essayed Aytom's poem, 'Charles Edward | ment shown by the sergeants, in command | highly creditable, showing as it did that at Versailles on the anniversary of Culloden' of the guns it would have been evident to the detachment had not forgotten any of and although the recitation was deservedly anyone that the Volunteers have not been, the valuable instruction so well imparted to land until the political aspirations of the well received. a shorter piece would have merely, 'playing at soldiers' all this time, them by their popular and energetic Sur- people are satisfied. been more enjoyable. In The Bonnies but that they have acquired an amount of goon Major. Indeed, the drill, instead of Fishwife' Mr Sheridan and Miss White- practical skill and a degree of confidence in showing any falling off when compared ford kept the ball rolling in a pretty lively, the handling of their guns which would tell | with that which was held at the close of way. The lady sang 'Auld Robin Gray,'- with very considerable force in the case of the ambulance class, was gone through Naval Estimates. or something to that effect. The parts of their services being actually required. The with increased smartness and skill. the song which she did sing were given strictest attention was paid to the effect of This concluded the work of the day, first was perfectly inadequate for the re- the British Medical Journal of the late Emwith greatly exaggerated affectation while the first few shots in order to get the guns which had certainly been a busy and pro- quirements of the country, and urged that the parts which she did not sing, but to bear most effectually on the enemy, and litable one. On landing at Victoria the it was necessary to expend twenty millions shouted, were even less pleasant. Auld before many minutes had elapsed a steady corps proceeded in marching order to immediately in building new ironclads and drawal from the association reflects the Robin Gray' with the tenderness and and deadly fire was poured into the Headquarters, where before they were dis- cruisets. pathos left out is not a success. We took enemy's position, hardly a shot of which, missed Capt. McCallum expressed on a Lord Go rgo Hamilton admitted that our caused at court.

smothered in applause. Mr Sheridan was Volunteers several rounds of case shot were ing. avery funny-looking Highlander and created fired, not however with such deadly effect. The field of operations at Kowloon was chartes much amusement. - Last night the Com- as might have been expected, awing pro- kept clear during the day by a body of Popany performed Audran's Comic Opera, bably to the range being too great for this lie under Inspectors Cr. dock and Mathie-Olivette, when the performance was for kind of shot. The targets representing non, who took 'every precaution to avert

the benefit of Mr Alfred Sutch. There was | this portion of the invading force however danger to the public. not a large audience. The opera was gone were fairly well riddled ultimately. On through in a somewhat perfunctory manner inspecting the targets representing the enby most of the performers and could hardly | easy it was found the the havee which most by called a success. The prompter was have been wrought by the Volunteers was constantly in request and was about as con- even greater than was expected, the whole spicuous as anybody in the cast. Miss of the ground being well swept. The Whiteford acted very will as Olivette and | Voluntoers having accomplished the object the music of the part being well suited to of pulverising the supposed enemy to this her voice, her singing would have been extent, afterwards made a spirited and wellhighly enjoyable but for those unfortunate, austained attack on an excellent tiffin purour-aplitting upper notes. Mr Fisher made | veyed by Mr Dorabjee at the Kowloon rison was fairly successful as the Contatess do | Major Tripp, at the close of this pleasant

Mr J. F. Sheridan in a fancy dress, and he perform in addressing-you. I think all duly made the audience laugh as heretofore. present here will acknowledge that we have The part of Cocquelicot was taken by Capt. had a very pleasant onling. 'It has been Sankey, who gave a very humorons render- very interesting work that, we have gone ing of it. Mr Sutch as Marcejot, was care- through, although it has been hard work, ful and conscientious as usual and the and I think those who have not come will minor parts were well filled. To-night be sorry that they have missed the chance. "In Mascotte," an opera with which Hong- No doubt there is a great deal of busikong opera-goers ought to be very familiar, ness going on in the city to-day, -- we had one mail coming in and another going out, and that may have prevented some members from coming. Still I think where there's a will there's a way. We have heard all sorts of excuses given from gentlemen for belonging to the Volunteers for non-attendance at drills and outlags. I heard of a case only the other evening of where a Volunteer was asked whether he was going to attend parade, and he said ' No. I am too busy. There's a rehearsal of " Islanthe " to-night. I think, if a man can get away from business to attend a re-hearsal. could, if he wanted, get away to attend parade, and though business may have kept some away to-day, as I said before, if they had the will. I think they would have found the way. I was rather disappointed when I called a commanding officer's parade the other evening to find so few attend, and I had hoped that to-day we should have turned out six guns. With regard to your work to-day, I must say that I have been very much pleased. You have stuck to your work like men, and the Adjutant tells me that the shooting has been remarkably good. I only hope that you will always show yourselves as competent as you have done to-day. (Hear, hear). Of course we have made mistakes, but it is only by taking advantage of such occasions as these that we can find out what they around correct them. and learn to know our proper duties both as officers and men Gentlemen, I have now performed the pleasant part of my task, that of thanking you ; I have now to refer to a matter which is somewhat unpleasant. and that is with reference to a letter which appeared in a local pape, about a week ago, purporting to be written by one of the Volunteers. (A Voice-- I don's believe any Volunteer w ote it '-- Hear, hear, and applance). Of course, gentlemen, I don't suppose for one justant that the man who wrote that is here toolay, because he is not the kind of un. who would come. In the first place he says he heard so and so and then he has the check to go on and gnard his officers. I think it is t' blackguardly letter I ever read (Appeause). As it happened, during that par seular week, I dod not ask any officers attend, because I particularly wanted the sergeants and gunners to learn for themsolves the work for to-day. It was for that reason that I did not ask any officer to attend. I thruk you will find if you take the run of our officers that they work very The little force landed at Kowloon about well for the Corps. (Loud applause). 10 30, the men being taken over in a steam can assure you that the officers have an launch and the guns in a lighter. - The guns, amount of work and responsibility that you which were under the charge of Sorgeants are not aware of. We have every day t Dipple, Osborne, McBreen, and Scott, make arrangements for c ming drills and having been limbered were at once taken parades and no on, all of which takes u to the first position, the hill to the left of great amount of time, and I think you will the Observatory, where they were to open find that the officers turn up to drills proffy The rough, stee regularly. Well, gentlemen, I do not think ground made it by no means easy work to drag the guns to their places, and the fierce

I have anything further to any now except to wish the Corps success and prosperity during the coming year. (Loud cheers). Sergeant Dipple-Gentlemen as senior non Com issioned officer, it is my pleasing duty to propose the health of our Officers with which I would couple the name Captain McCallum. I am aure you wi agree with me that they are all capable and competent men, and that they do their utmost for the corps. I therefore ask you. gentlement, to charge your glasses and to drink to the health of the Commissioned

enthusiasm, and the singing of For they

The toast was honoured with the greatest are jolly good fellows. Captain McCallum, in responding, said -Gentlemen, on behalf of myseif and brother officers, I have ito thank Sergeant Dopple for the kind manner in which he proposed our healths and you for the cord al manner in which you received them. I am sure that if we all pull together as we have done in the work of to-day we shall get on very well. As Major Tripp has told you. you must not think if you do not see our officers on parade at times that they are not attending to the interests of the corps can assure you that not a day pisces, but what there is some business connected with the corps that it falls to but of the officers to look after, and I think you will agree with me that where the interests of the corps are concerned you will not often find that the officers have failed to come up to time. (Applause). I am rather disappointed, gentlemen, successful as the day h s been, that we had not six guns out. promised and I was in hopes that we should have six gons out to-day and I must say that I am disappointed in not having them. I must at the same time thank heartily those who have turned out to day, and I am satisfied that if we keep on as we are doing we shall, when our annual practice takes place, have doubled our number of effectives. (Hear, hear.) This is not the endef the season by any means, and al though we have had lots of hard work today, and I think I may say we have done it satisfactorily, you must not forget that we have plenty more before us. Gentlemen, thank you again for the very cordial manner in which you received the toast proposed by Sergeant Dipple, and I will take this opportunity of wishing you all a very

happy New Year. (Cheera). In the afternoon the ambulance detachment of the corps was put through This was the first drill o this kind the de-

SUPREME COURT IN SUMMARY JURISDICTION. (Before Mr A. J. Leach, Acting Prime Judac.)

F. M. GONSALVEZ IN BANKBUPTCY. F. M. Gansalvez applied to be adjudicated a bankrupt.

Thursday, December 27.

Mr D. E. Caldwell, who ap pared for the unlicant, said he was a merchant in the colony, and upon his own petition be (Mr. Caldwell) moved that his Lordship be pleased to decree him a bankrupt.

His Lordship -- What are the debts? Mr Caddwell said they could not l exactly accertained, in consequence some contracts for shares not being com-The dobts scheduled \$1,586 55. The de endences could on! be estimated and might turn out to be in ankrupt's favour. According to the estimate he formed of the probable state of the market at the end of the year the amount was \$6,700. The assets amounted His Lordship granted the order sought

FOOCHOW.

The natives are grambling latterly at the Viceroy's speech, and praise its prudent and se of all articles of food, which are statesmindaily rising in price, and they say that the they are subjected are the cause of it the authorities will not take sleps and put a stop to the unfair dealings of their emsloves the likin runners—we fear some ten the may arise similar to that which took

place in Fermosa lately, caused by squeebeen present. The weather was wet on the day, guite moist on the second, and on the third it was simply execuable; still. some good Races were witnessed and one or two surprises occurred to upset the ca culations of the knowing ones, especially where 5 to 1 was faid on Piccadilly. pon es made uniformly about the worse times on record, but we might have had nothing to grumble at but the weather. had not the 'climax' come with a walk over for the Champions, when all feeling of sport seemed to have described 'noble owners.' Has such a thing ever happened before at a Race Meeting in China? We fancy not! Spectators at first laughed when one number only was helsted on the telegraph board, but when they found what was the real state of the case their feelings may be more easily imagined than described by our feeble pan. There was one No one who is at all posted as to the

general murmur of indignation trend of rec at events in this Empire can doubt the necessity for an advance movement in educational matters on the part of all who seek the intellectual and moral clevation of the Chinese. As is generally known, from time immemorial aspirants for culture and literary positions have devoted which strenuously opposes the slightest and will be proscouted for treason. mn vation. But a new day is breaking in the East, the dawn of which is beginning | here and exert a describralling influence, something more than parrots. There is an ! increasing demand for men instructed in mathematics and the physical sciences-men who are practical rather than wholly theo-

draw attention to the plans, which have been devised by the Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Misson, which was held hat week at this place. As a keen observer, the Right Rev. Bishop Fowler, who has recently visited various parts of China University,' which for the present is to beaceful. consist of Anglo-Chinese ! of ege of Liberal | Arts, the College of Theology and a Preparatory Department. Colleges of Medicine, | getting up the case for the Times Science and other special departments are soon as possible. The mon and means to | Charles Russell exclaimed warmly; success may be considered as assured. magistrates, is engaged in getting up the Thus in common with Peking, Nanking, Times cases. Shanghai, Canton &c., our city of F. ochow, which is the key to this and other provinces. Bion of Western ideas. - Foothow Echo.

NEWS BY THE GERMAN MAIL

The N. D. L. steamer Buyern arrived to- | Naples. day with the Gorman mail of Nov. 27. We: take the following telegrams from Ceylon exchanges :-

BOMBARDMENT OF OSMAN DIGNA'S POSITIONS AT SUARIN.

Suakin, Dec. 11 .- The bombardment of the rebel positions continues; one of the new 64-pounder gans has almost demolished one of Osman Digna's redoubts. Suckin, Dec, 12,-Naib, one of the rebel leaders, has been wounded. A shell from one of the garrison's 61-pounders has greatly damaged another of the robel redoubts. DESTRUCTION BY FIRE OF DOULTON'S

POTTERY WORKS. London, Dec. 12.-Doulton's famous pottery works at Lambeth have been almost totally destroyed by fire. THE PAPAL COMMISSIONER ADVOCATES

HOME RULE FOR IEELAND. Bome, Dec. 13 .- A report aubmitted by Monsignor Persico, the Special Papal Commissioner in Iruland, states that while condemning boycotting and other features of the agitation in that country, he is of opinion that there can be no peace for Ire-

DEBATE ON THE NAVAL ESTIMATES. London Dec. 14. - In the House of | ommons lest night a debate took place on the |cal Association. An influential committee

Lord Charles Beresford insisted that our the association against the publication by purchase of more than one, holding, if such in the 'Paris Figure,' of a valuable remedy

MILITARY AERONAUTS FOR BUARIN.

LORD DUFFERIN'S SPIECH -- ENGLISH PRESS

Bombay, 5th December. - The Guzette's London correspondent telegraphs that Lord Dufferiu's speech at the S. Andrew's ban-, quet of Calcutta has created a good deal of interest in England, and has been com-

mented on by he London papers. The Daily Neura says the occasional abstrations of the Congres are atened for by the im- Phil second, Fallowchat third, mense good it has accomplished in making the people of England acquainted with the wants of India and stimulating our zeal in in the service of the races of that country. The feelish things that may yow and again be heard in the Congress are less harmful than the shocking words applied by Lord Misbary at Ediuburgh to Indian gentlemen. The Pull Mall Gazette agrees that anything in the shape of a Parhament in the English sense of the word is not of the question, and advocates the establishment in India of an institution analogous to Yem styne in Russia. It blames Lord Dufferin for not guiding the aspirations of oducated hateves in channels that would be sede and profitable alike to the Government and the people, and expresses the hope that Lord Linsdowne will show a better appreciation of the opportunities which the situation presents. The Star says that the spirit of racial and class superiority and bigotry and intolerance are plain in every line, and that specious pretence of sympathy with the people reduces the whole thing to absurdity. On the other hand the Globe

Bombay, 6th December. - The Guzette's | the recent accident to the Russian imperial, able to answer all calls upon the troops in likin and the enormous squeezes to which Landon correspondent telegraphs that the train, he expressed sympathy with the Czar the field. The expenditures affixed to the Times in a leading article on Lord Dofferin's said rejoiced over his escape from harm, budget for this purpose would amount to smeech says the issue is simply whether Great Britain is responsible for the welfare of the people of India or whether some thousands langer. of matives who have imbibed European notions in School and University should have the authority transferred to them. The posweek will long be remembered by Foo- too awful a risk to the Empire for such an chowites and any visitors who may have experiment to be tried. When the population of India has been educated and a sense | the proceedings were in the main orderly. of the common wants has arisen sufficiently to shape the idea of a connion policy, there would be a call for represent tive institutions : at present, however, there is no such call. The telegraph describes the Viceroy's speech as consisting of golden words full of true statemanship and were policy, strikingly in contrast with the feetle and flaccid policy of Lord Riyon, which had given an impulse to this absurd movement.

and St. James's Gazette warmly commend

the wholes me truths set out in the retiring

NEWS BY THE AMERICAN MA L.

The O. & O. steamer Occanic arrived this morning with the American Mail of 28th November. We take the following telograma from exchanges: -

THE LATEST CHARGES MADE AGAINST THE

FRENCH GOVERNMENT Paris. November 23. - Boulangist and Conservative journals enarge the Government with preparing a coup d'erat to be carried out on the occasion of the demonstration at the grave of the revolutionist Baudin, December 2nd, They allege that long years to the parret-like business of Government agents will mingle with the hearning to repeat restortion et literation the puople in the cometery and privoke a wise (or otherwise) sayings of Confucius, | conflict. The leaders in the demonstration Mencius and other gages of antiquity. will then be arrested on trumped-up charges Hence the extraordinary conservation, of having been plotting against the State,

London, Sevember 23 -The Paris corresnondent of the Chronicle telegraphs that to-dispel the gloom of ages. Many Wes. De Lesse: s, in the event of the Credit tern institutions and inventious are already | Concier refusing to assist him in obtaining the Pansum canal foan, threatens to publish Those who in years to come would attain to an account of every step he has been forced official position-civil or military-must be to take in the Panama crusade. The re-Chamber of Deputies.

THE PARNELL INQUIRY. London, November 23 - At the sitting of the Parnell commission to-day Inspector In this connection we are pleased to of Police Huggins testified concerning outrages at Castle Island, County Kerry. On pross-examination with as said he believed the farmers' sons initiated the outrages in order to evade the payment of rent. He knew of bogus out rages. He was not aware that men comived to damage their own and has made a careful study of its history property in order to secure compensation and prospects, has accurately discerned the from the Quarter Sessions. He did not present perds of this people and the rela- think all the outrages we've due to secret tions of Western institutions and sciences societies. Some were the result of family thereto. Consequently at the recommenda- quarrels or private malice. He connected tion of Bishop Fowler, the Conference has the league with accordigating because prior taken steps for founding the 'Poochow to the existence of a league Kerry had been *Lockwood of the Parnellite counsel asked

witness how long he had been engaged in Sir Henry James counsel for the Times to be incorporated with the University as objected to the question, whereupon Sir bush this great educational undertaking are | charge, and intend to prove, that the whole in due time to be forthcoming and complete executive authority, even including resident

The vitness then denied that the Times had employed him. On redirect examinais to be un important centre for the diffu- tion the witness stated that no case of bogus outrage had ever been returned by the police as a real outrage.

> GLADSTONE'S PLANS. London, November 23, -Gladstone will start for Florence on December 18th. While in Italy he will visit Rome and

RADICALS ARRESTED. Belgrade, November 23 .- Seventy Radicals have been arrested in connection with

the election riots on Wednesday last. A FORTUKE LEFT TO THE POPE. Rome, November 23.—Signor Ingma, a

Roman advocate who died recently, left 1,000,000 francs to the Pope. THE GERMAN REICHSTAG. Berlin, November 23 .- Herr von Levet-

sow, Conservative, was to-day elected President of the Reichstag by a vote of 271 out of a total of 281 ballots recorded. Nine ballots were blank. Dr. Von Buhl (Nationalist) was re-elected First Vico-President by 169 out of 259 votes recorded, and Baron Von Unruhe Bonist, Second Vice-President by 150 out of 244. All these gentlemen accepted their posts.

DEMAND FOR GOLD IN LONDON, New York, November 23 .- Foreign bankers who have ordered gold for shipment to Europe state that owing to the domand in London for gold bars for shipment to Russia and South America, bankers on the other side are paying for gold a fraction ever the nominal price. The total gold taken for shipment so far this week is 84,654,000. SIGNIFICANT RESIGNATION.

London, November 24, -Dr. Sir William Jonner has resigned from the British Medihad addressed a protest to the council of peror Frederick's rote to Dr Mackenzie, yearly. Dr Jenner is Court Physician, and his withanger which the publication of the note has

PARNELL CAINS A POINT.

London, D.c. 14.--Two milita y aero- ed, has been unanimously upheld by the mats have started for Sunkin with para- Judges of the first division of the Court

> A ONE-LEGGED PRESIDENT. Rerne. November 24 .- N. Hertenstein. President of Switzerland, had his right leg amputated to-day. The operation was nocessary because of disease of the arteries. (He has since died.)

THE ENGLISH TURY. London, November 24.—The Manchester Navember handican was won by Claymore,

THE PHONOGRAPH AT OXFORD. London, November 24 .- Edison's agent to-day exhibited his phonograph before the faculty of Oxford University,

A NEW MINISTRY. Bucharest, November 24.- A new Minstry has been formed.

A MARINE DISA TER. Newburgh of Leith, while on a voyage from to-day in answer to a summons charging Grangem with to Aarhus with coal, found- him with inciting tenants to adopt the plan er d in the North sea. Sixteen persons of campaign through his paper, the Kerry were drowned. One was rescued and Sentinel. His counsel applied for a postlanded in Norway.

MURDER AND ROBBERY. Hamburg, November 25. - A trunk con taining the corpse of Horr H. Telseberg, grant the application, because the inciting forwarding agent of the Hamburg-Ameri- had continued. A warrant was issued for can Packet Company, was discovered in Harrington's arrest. the Banker dock on Saturday. The skull was fractured and his watch and \$750 in money were missing. A steward named Dow was arrested at Cologno to-day charged with being the murderer. IMPORTANT MEETING OF THE PATRIOTIC

LEAGUE -- BOULANGER SPEAKS. League to-day. He spoke in terms of warm rial increase of the army or such effective praise of General Boulanger. Referring to arrangements that the landwohr would be The speech was greatly applauded, and es. 1,041,46 florins, and included a sum to be pecially the references to General Bou- used for the purchase of rifles, which were

The Caulois asserts that the Government intends to dissolve the Patriotic League. The meeting was held in a restaurant. The Raco Meeting which took place this sible failure of a mative parliament would be Access to outsiders was barred by the to complete the naval and military armapolica, who prevented the proposed public ments. reception. A few arrests were made, but At the conclusion of the banquet General Boulanger made a speech in which he said 'I am more a patriot than a soldier. I ardently desire peace-not peace which is demanded, but peace imposed by a firm and dignified attitude. That is the only peace acceptable to French hearts.' He inveighed has rejected France's proposal to join in the against the policy which divided the forces blockade of East Africa on condition that of the country, causing a misleading appear- the slave dhows and dealers under the ance of weakness-misleading because the French flag, seized by other powers, be least appeal to the country would cause all | handed over to France for punishment. internal dissension to vanish like a lad dream. He strongly denounced Ferry for Emperor to resign his commission in the wasting the country's resources in Tonquin, army and State his plans for the Emin while cognizant of the peras which threaten. Bey relief expedition. The Relief Com-

> a divorce. It is stated that one of the rich- | East Africa Company. It is expected the est widows in France is willing to marry company will ask the Reichstag for a loan

JACK THE BIPPER, London, November 25.—A private person living near Nottingham has received a lotter signed 'Jack the Ripper's Pal,' stating that both the writer of the letter and 'Jack' committed the recent murders in the Whitechapel district. The writer says that 'Jack' is a Bavarian, whom he first met aboard a ship

returning from America, and who exercised

a meameric influence over him.

Berlin, November 25. - Fifty members of the Emin Bey Relief Committee held a meeting to-day and unanimously decided to send Louis Wissmann as soon as possible to lead the first column. Dr Peters will in the meantime prepare to equip a supporting column, of which he will have command.

THE EAST AFRICA COMPANY. Berlin, November 25. - The Directors of the East Africa Company met and unani measly resolved to inform the Covernment says it regrets Lord Salisbury's decision to velations will affect several members of the that the company will relinquish none of its delay the appointment of a successor to rights in East Africa; that the intention is | Suckville. This course it thinks may cause to strengthen Pagomayo and Darsalon with President Cleveland to withdraw Minister stone forts and to attempt to reconquer | Pheips. other stations under the protection of a lib chading squadron. It is decided to ask the Reichstag for support.

IN THE AROTTO CIRCLE. Winnipeg (Man.), November 26, -James Carbe, one of the Hudson Hay Company's chief factors in the Arctic circle, arrived | incatculable. here yesterday. He met Lord Lonsdale two months ago traveling with two Esquinumx guides and one personal attendant. His English servant had left him three as rapidly as possible. He walks all day proceedings were orderly. and displays a ch remarkable endurance that the natives refer to him as ' the man

his simple mode of traveling, of reaching demolished, the North Pole, if his attendants would stick to him. He said that at least he would pierce farther north than any white | 26. - The offices of the Town and Country man had ever gone. He was in good health Journal have been burned. The loss is marly so fat as when he started. He is Australia. an excellent shot and has secured number. less specimons of birds and beasts of the isolated country through which he is

Naturalist Society of Edinburgh to obtain | hourly. specimens of birds and beasts and to learn more minutely the habits of animals and the feathered kind inhabiting the northern

Besides looking after the habits of ani- Patriotic League to his hotel. mals, etc., he is inquiring into the habits and customs of the Indians, and has already worst on his return.

IN THE COMMONS. London, November 26.-In the Comeries question was to be produced; whother it was the intention of the Government to negotiate for a new commission, and whether, in the meantime, owing to the divergence of legal opinion relative to the meaning of the treaty of 1818, it was in- Loss, \$80,000. tended to suspend the enforcement of its provisions.

Sir James Fergusson, Parliamentary Secretary for the Foreign Office, cartly replied : The Government will not publish any papers nor make any statement on the subjoet at present. A modus vivendi is in operation.

a question, intimated that the Government gives strongth and increases the flesh, but under present circumstanoes was unable. heals the irritation of the throat and lungs. to make any statement with regard to the It is very palatable; children take it like appointment of a Minister to Washington, milk, and in all wasting diseases both for the Whole, and the debate on the Land and medicine. Any Chemist can supply it, Purchase Bill was resumed.

holding were rated at no less than 220 for nervous debility, physical exhaustion,

of the plan of sale.

ment in the case of Paruell against the privilege. He said that he was leaving the receipt of a self addressed stamped enve-Times, allowing proof on the question of House when an attendant handed him one.

arrestments, from which the Times appeal- | what appeared to be an ordinary visitor's card. Upon going into the lobby a constable from Ireland served him with a sunmons under the Coercion Act. He moved . report progress, in order to- give the House an opportunity to discuss this audre an treach of privilege. Lialfour deplored the incident, and did

> not know under what authority it had hap-On motion of Morley a committee was appointed to inquire into the circumstances of the sucident, consisting of Sir William Harcourt, Mr Morley, Sir Charles Russell, Mr Parnell, Timothy Healey, Home Secretary Matthews, Mr Goschen, Mr Mad-

Parnell's amendment was afterward lost y a vote of 154 to 111.

den, Sir Edward Class and Mathew Rid-

HARRINGTON'S CASE. Dublin, November 26. - Edward Harring-London, November 25. - The steamer ton, member of Parliament, failed to appear penement in order that Harrington might attend the sittings of the Parnell Commission in London. The magistrate refused to

PREPARING FOR WAR. Vienna, November 26 .- At a meeting of the Budget Committee, Court Welsherheimb stated that it was necessary to expedite measures for enabling the Government to mobilize the landwebr. Formerly vigorous and prompt use of the landwelle was not Paris, November 25 .-- M. Deronledemade | contemplated, but the present military and speech at a meeting of the Patriotic political situation domanded either a matemaking at the rate of 30,000 per month. Brussels, November 26.—The Etvile says that the Government will ask the Chamber of Deputies for a credit of 5.00 .00) francs

> AFRICAN AFFAIRS, Zausibar, November 26. - The question regarding the fugitive slave harbored by the Mission station at Mombasa has been settled to the satisfaction of the natives. This arrangement has secured the freedom of

1500 slaves. Berlin, November 26 .- The Government Lieutenant Wissmann will wait on the mittee has asked a resolution severing all Boulanger's wife is taking steps to obtain | connection between the committee and the

> OUNS FOR THE PACIFIC COAST. Oltawa (Ont.) November 26.-The Dominion Government has ordered two now forty-pound rifled guns from the Imperial Government for use on the Pacific coast. THE POPE AND THE IRISH.

of 10,000,000 marks.

London, November 26 .- A Dublin dispatch says that the News Association has been reliably informed that the Pope will insist upon promulgating the second rescript on the Irish question. The Irish Bishops will shortly be summoned to Rome. RUSSIAN DUTIES.

St. Petersburg, November 26.-Import duties on sheet copper have increased to 30 copecks per pound. The duty on copperbottomed wooden ships has been fixed at-12 rubles for the first hundred tons and 6 rubles for every additional hundred tons. WILL PHELPS BE WITHDRAWN

London, November 27. - The Daily News

FRANCE DRIFTING TOWARDS CHAOS. Heilin, November 26 .- The North German Guzetts and almost all the other promineut German papers concur in the opinion test the affairs of Faunce are drifting toward chaos, of which the consequences are THE MANCHESTER MARTYRS

Dublin, November 26. - Thousands of persons attended the demonstration in Glasuevin Cemetery yesterday at the monuweeks before. He was pushing northward | ment to the Manchester martyrs. The ELECTION RIOTS IN SERVIA.

London, November 26. - A dispatch from who walks fast. He even tires his guides | Belgrade says that serious election riots accurred to-day in Servis. Several lives He spoke confidently of being able, in were lest and many public buildings were A DISASTROUS PIRE.

Sydney, (New South Wales) November

though he said he was sure he was not £10,000. The offices were the finest in JOHN BRIGHT GROWING WORSE. Loudon, November 26.-John Bright had a restless night. His lungs were in a

worse condition this morning and his He is out in the interest of the Scottish temperature was higher. He grows worss FORTY ARRESTS IN PARIS, Paris, November 26.—The police made forty arrests last night while Boulanger was proceeding from the banquet of the

STUIKING COAL MINERS. Brussels, November 26 .- The strike of searned a portion of their language, so that | coal miners in Belgium is spreading. Gen-English society may be prepared for the darmes and guards are patrolling the troub-

led districts. A BUSHIAN PROTEST. London, November 26.-The Russian mone to-night Gourley (Liberal) asked if Government has protested against the the correspondence on the American fish. erection by Roumania of forts at Forschan

FORTY-TWO HOUSES BURNED. Havana, November 26. - Advices from Yeabels de Salena state that forty-two

AN IMPERIAL AUDIENCE. Berlin, Nov. inber 26. - Emperor William mye an a audience to-day to the President and Vice-Presidents of the Reichstag.

houses there have been destroyed by fire.

FOOD FOR CONSUMPTIVES, -Scott's Emule sion of Pure Cod Liver Oil with Hypophosphites of Lime and Soda is a most wonder-Smith, Go: ernment leader, replying to ful food for the Consumptive. .. It not only The House then went into Committee of | adults and children it is a marvellous food -Watson & Co. (Limited), agents in Hong-

Parnell proposed an amendment to the kong and China .- Adut. effect that no money be advanced for the AN IMPORTANT DISCOVERY is announced and premature decay. The discovery was Balfour contended that the amendment made by a missionary in Old Mexico; its would interfere with the smooth working saved him from a miserable existence and an early grave. We learn that the Rev. David Sheehy, Nationalist member for Joseph Holmes, Bloomsbury Mansjoner South Galway, stopped the debate by ap- Bloomsbury Square, London, W. C., will Edinburgh, November 24.—The judg- penting to the chairman on a question of send the prescription, free of charge, on

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7. From Naval Yard to Blue Buildings. 8, From Blue Buildings to East Point. 9. From Kellett's Island to North Point. 10. Kowloon Wharves.

11. Jardine's Wharf.

Flag and Consignees or Agents. Destination. Vessel's Name. Steamers Brit, str. 3651 Dec. 12 Adamson, Bell & Co. 3 h Samuelsen Ger. str. 400 Dec. 23 Wieler & Co. Hoihow, &co. To-morrow Anton 3 h Aereboe Ger. str. 396 Dec. 25 Wieler & Co. To-morrow 10 Mergell Ger. str. 2877 Dec. 27 Melchers & Co. Shanghai Chingen Hunt Brit. str. 1500 Dec. Soutabaya San Francisco City of Sydney 5 c Friele Amer. str. 30 6 Dec. Haiphong To-day Quarry Bay Crusader..... Ogston...... Brit. etr. 11 Butterfield & Swire 648 Dec. Amoy & Manila To-morrow DafilaSpan. str. 535 Dec. Amoy and Shanghai To-morrow 3 c Robin Ger. str. To-morrow Coast Ports 22 Douglas Steamship Co. 509 Dec. 27 Jardine, Matheson & Co. 990 Dec. 29th inst. General Werder 10 Schuck mann ... Ger. str. 1 20 Dec. Yokohama Glenartney 5 c Murray Brit. str. 1400 Dec. 27 Jardine, Matheson & Co. Glonearp...... 5 c Brass Brit. 1410 Dec. str. str. 999 Dec. 27 Butterfield & Swire Johanna 3 c ingo Ger. str. 25 Wieler & Co. To-morrow Melita 2 c Mörck Ger. 26 Wieler & Co. 339 atr. 29th inst. Namua 5 h Pocock Brit. 826 Dec. str. Namyong 4 c Sanders Brit. str. 983 Dec. 25 Ban Moh Y'hama & SanF'cisco 27 O. & O. S. S. Co. Oceanic 5 c Metcalfe Brit. Dec. str. To-murrow Shanghai 3 h Heuermann ... Ger. str. 954 Dec. 234 Dec. str. Pilot Fish 5 h Stopani Brit. tug. 161 Sept. 1588 Dec. 29th inst. Bombay, &c. K'loon Dock Tetartos Petersen Ger. 674 Dec. K'loon Dock Nagasaki Victoria Coundon Brit. 2 Takasima Colliery str. 1530 str. 612 Dec. Yehsin 9 c Buchanau Chi. str. 704 Dec. 29th inst. Amoy & Manila str. 675 Dec. 27 Russell & Co. Zafiro 3 h McCaslin Brit.

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Nume.	Rig.	Tons.	Guns.	I.H.P.	Captain.	Where a
India ha	despatch-vcssel	1700	4	3180	Com. R. Blair Maconochie	Hongkong
lacinty lock chafer	gunboat 2nd class	465	4	470	LieutCom. Everard Maxwell	Newchwang
onstance	eruiser 3rd class	2380	14	2590	Capt. L. C. Keppel	Yokohama
lordolia	cruiser 3rd class	2380	10	2420	Captain Henry H. Boys	Yokohama
A'k	g-b. 3rd class coast defence	363	3	340		In reserve
Spor	gunboat 2nd class	466	4	470	Lieut, Com. Reginald Y. Smith	Amoy
irebran.	gunboat 2nd class	455	4	460 1	LieutCom. Denison	On a cruise
eroine	cruiser 3rd class	1420	8	1130	Captain Chas. J. Balfour	Shanghai
limalaya	troopship	2080	_		Captain Stokes	Hongkong
mpérieuse*	twinscrew battle ship	8400	10	10000	Captain William H. May	Hongkong
eander	cruiser 2nd class	4300	10	5500	Captain M. J. Dunlop	Hongkong
anto:	gun-vesse 2nd class	756	5	1050	Commander W. Marrack	Hongkong
derlio	gunboat 2nd class	430	4	430	LieutCom. W. M. Maturin	Hongkong
lutino	aloop	1130	10	1120	Commander J. H. Martin	Shanghai
rion	f twin-acrew battle ship }	4870	4	4040	Captain By. J. Carr	Singapore
	2nd class armored 5	1780	6	3500	Commander R. W. White	Hongkong
Porpoisa Lambler	surveying vessel	830	3	690	Commander W. U. Moore	Hongkong
	gunboat 1st class	715	6	1200	LieutCom. W. Maitl. Dougall	Hongkong
lattler	cruiser 3rd class	1970	12	2360	Captain W. C. Karelake	Singapore
apphire	cruiser 3rd class	1420	8	1400	Captain T. P. W. Nesham	Yokohama
atellite	torpedo mining launch	150	I -	-		Hongkong
Solent Swift	gun-vessel 2nd class	756	5	1010	Com. Richard Bingham	Sandakan
	Edd-Again and oras	95	_	-		In reserve
Torpedo Boat No. 35		95	1 —	ļ —		In reserve
Torpedo Boat No. 36	g-bt. 3rd/class const defence		3	_		In reserve
[weed	receiving ship	5157	14	_	Commodore Maxwell, A.D.C.	Hongkong
Victor Emanue	sloop	925	4	750	Commander Geo. A. Giffard	Singapore
Wanderer Wivern	coast defenceship, armoured		4	1450		Hongkong

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H. B. M. Ships' tourage, displacements and effective horse powers are given according to H. M. Navy list.

Foreign Men-of-war on the Chica and Japan Station.

Name.	Flag and Rig.	Tons.	Guns.	H.P.	Captain.	Where at.
Aleout-	Russian gunboat	800	_		Captain Parenego	Nagasaki
Aragon	Spanish cruiser	1908	-		Captain D. E. Zulnaga	Manila
Aspic	French gunboat	470	4	450	Commander Rupe	Nagasaki
	Russian cruiser	1100		_	Captain Menachicoff	Nagasaki
Bobre .	French gunboat	475	4	450	LieutCommander Martel	Quinhon
Comète Desire Deserve		6000			Captain N. Scrydloff	Nagasaki
Dmitry Donakoy	Russian frigate	1375	6	900	Commander Jewell	Shanghai
Essex	U. S. corvette			300	Captain Eickstedt	Chemulpo
Iltis	German gunboat	489		425	Captain Neny	Touron
Lutin	French gunboat	485	4.7		Commander Dye	Shanghai
Marion	U. S. corvette	1900		1170	LieutCom. Benry Glass	Yokohama
Monocacy	U. S. aloop	1370	6	1470		Cores
Mordj	Russian gunboat	455	· 7	60	Commander Moltaoff	Nagasaki
Nayezdink	Russian cruiser	1330	9	250	Captain Zarine	Shanghai
Omaha	U. S. corvette	2400	12	1150	Capt. McNair	Shanghai
Palos	U. B. gunboat	420	6	. 500	LientCom, Craig	Kobe
Parseval	French gunboat	_			Captain M. Foret	Shanghai
Pluvier	French gunboat	540		420	LieutCommander Fourest	On a cruise
Rio Lima	Portuguese gunboat	540	_	-	Captain J. R. Santa Barbara	Macao
	Russian gruiser	900	1	1000	Commander Suciries	Cores
Sivotch		455	7	60	Commander Boyle	Japan
Soboi .	Russian gunboat German cruiser	2100			Captain Kohlhauer	Singapore
Sophie	Donah frimte	5880	12	4250	Captain Juge	Hongkong
Turenne	French frigate		+ -		Captain Lang	Nagasaki
Vestnik	Russian corrette	1330	-	425	Commander Gondot	Saigon
Vipere	French gunboat	480	4	4.20	Comment of Consecution	Amoy
Vitian	Russian corvette	2950	12	100	Commander Molchenaky	Vladimetook
Vostnak	Russian gunboai	327	4	4.10	Comment of the second	Canton
Wolf	German gun boat	. 384	f 2	240	Certain Oredner	Aurani

SHIPPING IN OHINA, JAPAN, PHILIPPINES, AND SIAM WATERS.

WHAMPOA. Brit. str. Shanghai Chi. Fushum Brit. Hoihow str. str. Shanghai Kaifong str. Shanghai Kwang Lee Ger. str. Ningpo atr. Swatow Soochow

Ger.

AMOY. In port on December 23, 1888.

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MERCHANT STRAMERS. C. H. Kian British British Flintshire Chinese Buyew British Haitan

Yangtazo

Remarks.

MERCHANT SAILING TESSELS Archos Brit. bge. Brit, bge. Basuto Chateaubriand Brit. bqo. Ger. bge. Oscar Mooyer Ger. bqe.

> FOOCHOW. In port on December 22, 1888. MERCHANT STRAMERS.

Claymore British Glenartney Kowshing British British Namon MERCHANT SAILING VESSELS. Anna Bertha Dan, bqe.

G. H. Wappaus Brit. bqe. Brit, bqe. Johanna Kremer Ger. sch. SHANGHAI

In port on December 20, 1888. MERCHANT STEAMERS.

Chinese Chung-king Chinese Fung-shun Chinese Chinese Hac-ting French Irsouaddy Kiang-foo Chinese Kiang-pieu Chinese Chinese Kiang-yü Kung-pai Chinese British Kung-wo British Lennox British Oopack Brtiish Peshawur Poo-chi Chinese British Sarpedon Sinn-cheng French British Taiwo British Taku W. C. de Vries British Hankow. Y'shiro Maru Japanese Yungching Chinesè

MERCHANT SATLING VESSILS. Anglo Indian Brit. sh. ChasS. Whitney Brit. sh Dorothy Brit. bge. Isabel Norw. boc. John E. Sayre Brit. Loong Wha Martha Brit. Pactolus Amer. sh. State of Maine Amer. sh Amer. bge. Sunbeam

NAGASAKI In Port on December 12, 1888. Kozaki Maru Japan, bqe, S. A. Ridgeway Amer. bqe.

AMAHONOY In port on December 20, 1888. Brit. Belle of Oregon Amer. bqs. Amor, sch. Brit. Iron Cross Lizzie C. Troop Brit. ship Mary L. Cushing Amer. Brit. sch. Ruse

HIOGO. In port on December 11, 1888. Abbie S. Hart Brit. Winnipeg

MANILA. In Port on December 8, 1888. MERCHANT SAILING VESSELS. sh. New York Canara ClanMacfarlane Brit. sh. San Francisco John M. Blaikie Brit. sh. Liverpool John McLeod Brit. sh. United States Amer. sh, discharging Paul Revere Amer. sh. New York Willie Reed sh. New York

HOHO. MERCHANT SAILING TESSEL. Brit. bge, discharging Strathmuir

W. H. Smith Amer. ah. San Francisco BANGKOK, In port on December 5, 1888, MERCHANT STRAMBER.

British Bangkok Cape Clear Siameso British Chamreen Phratabong Siamose Siamese Rainhow MERCHANT SATLING VESSELA Brit. bqe. Aurora Caroline Siam. 3 sc. Figaro Ger. Foochow Siam. Siam. bqe. Fortune Francesco B. Goliah Siam, sch. Hera Ger. bqe. Long Hin Siam, bge. Mary Emily Ger. bqs. Simpatia Italian bge. Ta Hongkong Siam. bqe. Wendur Brit. bge. Zoagli Italian bge.

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